

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Madaline Chirica, *et al.*

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For: MAMMALIAN RECEPTOR
PROTEIN DCRS5; METHODS OF
TREATMENT
(as amended)

Examiner: J. Seharaseyon

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office action dated February 27, 2007, Applicants submit the following amendment and response. This response is timely filed Tuesday, May 29, 2007, which is the first working day after Sunday May 27, 2007, May 28 being Memorial Day. Reconsideration is respectfully considered.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 5 of this **paper**.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.